

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 5168-73

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Ap	plication of:	)						
Katsunori Shimomura et al.				Group Art Unit: To be Assigned				
Application No.: 10/571,505				Examiner: To be Assigned				
Filed: March 10, 2006								
	Three-Dimensional Measuring Equipment			) Confirmation No.: To be Assigned )				
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450								
Sir:								
TRANSMITTAL LETTER								
Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:								
☐ A	Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$ for the Extension is enclosed.							
The claims are calculated below:								
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid		Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	
Total	equivalent of 60	•	20		40	x \$ 50	\$ 2,000.00	
Indep.	12	-	3		9	x \$200	1,800.00	
							360.00	
Subtotal \$ 4,160.0							\$ 4,160.00	
	Reduction by ½ if small entity -							
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$\boxtimes$	A fee of \$4,160.00 to cover the cos Preliminary Amendment is enclose	st of the additional claims added by this ed.				
	A fee of \$ to cover	is enclosed.				
$\boxtimes$	A check for \$4,160.00 to cover the	above fee(s) is enclosed.				
Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.						
Dated	l: May 3, 2006	By: Mas Australia Arthur S. Garrett Reg. No. 20,338				

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## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.